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REQUEST FOR FILING CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

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This is a request for filing a [] continuation [X] divisional application under 37 C.F.R. [X] of pending Application No. 00/870 671 filed on Type 1 2001 for I ITHOGO ADDITIONAL CONTROL OF PROPERTY OF THE P § 1.53(b) of pending Application No. 09/870.671 filed on June 1, 2001, for LITHOGRAPHIC DRINTING DI ATE DESCURSOR by the following ramed inventor(s). 9 1.33(0) of pending Application INO. <u>031010.011</u> fried on <u>stance 1, 2001.</u>

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(b) Full Name (c) Full Name Hiromitsu YANAKA Hiromitsu YANAKA Applicant(s) hereby requests that the above-captioned application NOT BE PUBL under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certified invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that required in another country, or under a filing.	
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- The entire disclosure of the prior application from which a copy of the oath or declaration is publication at eighteen months after filing. supplied herewith is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying
- This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 C F D 1 63(d)(2) the Commissioner is requested to delete the name(s) of application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. This application is being their by less than an the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2), the Commissioner is requested to delete the name(s) of the following reasons who are not inventors of the inventor being claimed in this the following person or persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application application.

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- [] Applicant(s) suggests Figure _ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and/or patent.
- [X] Applicant(s) requests that the published application include the following assignment information: Fuji Photo Film Co., Ltd. of Ashigara-shi, Kanagawa, Japan.
- 1. [X] Enclosed is a copy of the prior Application No. <u>09/870,671</u> as originally filed on <u>June 1, 2001</u>, including copies of the specification, claims, drawings and the executed oath or declaration as filed.
- 2. [] Enclosed is a revised prior application and a copy of the prior executed oath or declaration as filed. No new matter has been added to the revised application.
- 3. [] Small entity status is hereby claimed.
- 4. [X] The filing fee is calculated below [X] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

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	No. OF Claims		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
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	_	This application is being filed without a filing fee. Issuance of a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is respectfully requested.
6.	[]	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.
		A check in the amount of \$ 834 is enclosed for the fee due.
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8. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

9. [X]	Cancel in this application original claims 1, 4-6, 12 and 15 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.				
10. []	New drawings are enclosed.				
11. [X]	Priority of Application Nos. 2000-165998, 2000-212897 and 2000-233088 filed on June 2, 2000, July 13, 2000 and August 1, 2000, respectively in Japan (country) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.				
	[X] The certified copies of the priority applications				
	[] is enclosed.				
	[X] were filed on <u>June 17, 2002</u> in prior Application No. <u>09/870,671</u> , filed on <u>June 1, 2001</u> , and acknowledged by the Examiner on <u>September 9, 2002</u> in Paper No. <u>6</u> .				
	[] has not yet been filed.				
12. [X]	Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:				
	[X]This application is a [] continuation [X] divisional of Application No. 09/870.671, filed on <u>June 1, 2001</u>				
	[]This application is a [] continuation [] divisional of U.S. Application No, filed on _, which was a national stage filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of International Application No filed on _,				
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13. [X]	A preliminary amendment is enclosed.				
14. [X]	An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.				
15. []	A General Authorization for Payment of Fees and Petitions for Extensions of Time is enclosed.				
16. [
17. [X	The power of attorney in the prior application is to Platon N. Mandros, Reg. No. 22.124 , Robert G. Mukai, Reg. No. 28,531 and others. a. [X] The power appears in the original papers in the prior application. b. [] Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed. c. [] Recognize as Associate Attorney				

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d. [X] Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record.)

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